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25X1 5. [] Met with John Martiny and Bill Irvine, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff, and briefly discussed the progress of H.R. 6784. The staff member responsible for this bill is Ralph Devlin who was unavailable. Irvine observed the bill was a highly complicated and little understood measure and he personally felt there were better alternatives for the legislative objective through adjustment of the Civil Service Retirement System rather than providing an interrelationship with the Social Security System.

John Martiny believes that the Administration may be softening its objections to S. 271, although he isn't sure what compromises will be worked out in increasing coverage and redistributing premium burden in the FEGLI program.

25X1 6. [] Accompanied []
25X1 [] and Philip Agee on a tour of Capitol Hill. []
25X1 [] We stopped briefly in the office of the Senate Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization and Mr. Blair gave them a brief rundown on the Committee functions. Senator Joseph Montoya (D., N.Mex.) spoke with them for approximately 20 minutes, which was the highlight of the morning. Montoya is bilingual in Spanish and they enjoyed the visit very much. We then briefly toured the Capitol, but were unable to visit the Supreme Court because of the tight schedule of the []

25X1 7. [] After being informed by [] that []
is nearing a nervous breakdown and would be unable to appear before the House Committee on Un-American Activities, I called Frank McNamara, Staff Director, HCUA, and so informed him. McNamara was most understanding and said they would prepare written questions which [] can answer without appearing.

25X1 8. [] Met with Mr. Treswell Hane, Personal
25X1 Assistant to Chairman Mendel Rivers (D., S.C.), who requested advice and assistance in responding to correspondence dated 3 May from []
[] I will provide a suggested draft reply tomorrow.